



## MINUTES

### **Hull Parent/Teacher Organization**

November 15, 2022

7:00pm Jacobs Library

**Attendance:** Carolyn Reynolds, Caryn O'Connor, Renee Kiley, Amy Hyde, Jill Mansfield-Jollin, Laurie McDowell, Heather Swimm, Kelly Cichocki, Deborah Irby, Regan Yakubian, Melissa Pilicy, Aleeza Hagerty

**Review and Acceptance of Minutes and Agenda:** November agenda approved with the removal of the Class of 2027 Raffle and addition of Amy Hyde speaking on behalf of the HHS Band funding request. October minutes were approved with minor correction of Sharon Striglio doing the shopping for teacher conference dinners not Amy Hyde.

**Treasurer's Report:** The approximate balance was reported, and 2022 taxes signed/paid and mailed. \$35.00 to State of MA and \$250 to Accountant

**Presidents Approval:** \$90.90 for JES Turkey Trot Bib Numbers  
\$14.64 for stamps and postage for 2022 tax forms.

**Board Approval:** None

**Guest Speakers:** Amy Hyde spoke on HHS Band trip to NYC

**Funding Requests**

**Schoolwide:** None

**Jacobs School:**

1. Mark Taylor requested \$675.10 for hand drums & boomwhackers.//Approved

**Memorial Middle School:**

2. Brian Gretchell requested \$580 for 7<sup>th</sup> grade field trip to Bridgewater State College.//Approved
3. John Whittle requested \$132.50 (\$120 Nearpod/year & \$12/50 EdPuzzles/month)/Approved

**Hull High School:**

4. Ian Barkon requested \$1,800 for 18 students to attend NYC Music Festival//Approved

**Old Business:**

- Amy Hyde gave a final report on Summer Reading Bingo. All participants came from JS. If this is to continue it will need a new chairperson.
- Halloween Dance was a success and made a profit of \$2456.75. K. Chailfoux will run next year but will need a shadow to that will want to take over the following year.
- Conference dinner planning is in full swing and will take place this week for MMS & HS. JS will be in December and can use more help.
- Jacobs Express will be back again this year and planning is under way.
- All PTO committees could use a few people to join. Laurie McDowell has a person in town she is going to work on to come up with a few samples for a new PTO Logo. Shooting to have a new one starting next school year.

**New Business:**

- PTO is holding \$473.50 for MMS Library and is awaiting Tony's approval to make book purchase.
- Discussed a Scratch Ticket raffle for over the holidays but would need a chairperson.

**Member Suggestions:**

- Aleeza Hagerty would like to chair the next Color Run in 2023 and suggestion was made to move it to the fall.
- Proposal was made to write a letter as a collective voice to the School Committee about hiring a Librarian for the MMS. Carrie Tiani & Laurie McDowell offered to work on this.
- 8<sup>th</sup> grade dance was discussed and how at one time the PTO gave money towards the dance.
- Looking to have a Parents Night Out again, talks of reaching out to Leah Picewick about having at the Saltwater Club.

**Adjourned**